VIRGINIA GAZETTE,
AND PETERSBURG INTELLIGENCER.

PUPLISHED EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY BY WILLIAM PRENTIS.

Number 783. FRIDAY, April 7, 1797. Four Dollars Per Annum

MADRID, December 29.

A revolution appears to be inevitable in the Spaniſh colonies. The example of North-America, the recollection of their ancient independence, the ſenſe they have of their own ſtrength, their hatred of their oppreſſors, and the bad management of their government, which ſeems rather deſirous of being hated than beloved, and the double and arbitrary taxes which have been impoſed on them by the caprice of the Viceroy, are powerful reaſons to make us ſuppoſe that South-America will take up arms againſt Spain.

As early as 1756, diſturbances broke out at Caracas; in 1764 an inſurrection ſhewed itſelf at Quito; Mexico ſent in 1778 ambaſſadors to England, in order to gain from that country aſſiſtance, and the promiſe of independence. The year 1781 was the æra of ſtill greater commotion in Peru and at Santa Fe; and now the Spaniſh colonies are on the point of a general inſurrection, fomented without doubt by England, and which it is not in the power of Spain to oppoſe.

In fact, the court of Madrid had only 6000 regular troops in theſe countries, ſcattered over an immenſe extent of country. The other military corps are for the moſt part compoſed of natives, who far from oppoſing, would aſſiſt the inſurgents, and make a common cauſe with them.

corps of the army under general Bernadotte, has taken up its winter quarters in the environs of Metz. It extends as far as Sarlibre. Several battalions will be quartered between Luxemburgh and Thionville.

LEXINGTON (Kentucky,) Feb. 7.

It is reported, that news arrived at Louiſville laſt week, that the French were in poſſeſſion of New-Orleans, and the Spaniards were moving off their magazines from that place. We only mention it as a report, having no good authority of its authenticity.

CHARLESTON, March 25.

Extract of a letter from Capt. Samuel Cook, of the ſchooner John, bound for St. Euſtatius, a French port, to his owners in this city, dated St. Martins' February 16, 1797.

"I am ſorry to inform you that I had the misfortune to be taken, about a week paſt, and brought in here, after being pillaged of my watch, &c. and treated very bad, having my trunks that were in the cabin all broke open, the goods upſet, and my men ſtruck with cutlaſſes and treated very ſaucily myſelf. I was boarded by a French privateer before this, who treated me very politely, and ſoon let me go again; but I know not, nor cannot imagine what this privateer took me for; but ſo it is, and I am here waiting for the arrival of the privateer; when ſhe arrives I expect my papers will be ſent to Gaudaloupe, as they do not decide any caſes here, let them be ever ſo clear. If they ſhould clear veſſel and cargo, I expect they will take ſuch part of the cargo as they may want, and pay me in paper."

March 27.

Extract of a letter from Guadaloupe, dated February 15, 1797.

"On the 15th January laſt, the Hamburgh brig Catharine, Capt. Seavers, from Charleſton, bound to St. Thomas's, was captured and brought into this port, by the privateer Victory, Capt. Bernett.

"Her cargo conſiſting of rice, tobacco and lumber, was conſigned to the captain, for his owner's account at Hamburgh; notwithſtanding this, her cargo has been landed, and ordered to be ſold, the money to be lodged in the cheſt of the republic till further orders from Paris; the brig is alſo detained, and very probably will likewiſe be ſold."

March 28.

Capt. Bagely reports that a Spaniſh brig had captured two privateer ſchooners, one ſloop, and four other unarmed veſſels belonging to New-Providence, and carried them into the Havannah the day he ſailed.

A large Philadelpia ſhip, capt Newel, from the Iſle of France, anchored off the bar laſt evening. The wind was too much to the weſtward for her to beat over.

WILMINGTON (N. C.) March 30.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Norfolk, to his correſpondent in this town, dated the 4th inſtant.

"This moment two French officers arrived here from Cape Francois, with diſpatches to the French Conſul and Capt. Barney; they bring an official account of the arrival there of 15 ſail of French and Spaniſh line of battle ſhips, with a large number of tranſports, having on board 22,000 troops of the line, from Toulon and Cadiz."

On the 27th a jury of inqueſt was ſummoned on the body of Maurice Burk, mariner, late of the brig Mary, who was drowned in Smith's creek, near this town. It is ſaid he was of Philadelphia, where he had a wife and ſeveral children.

FAYETTEVILLE, April 1.

Laſt Sunday evening we experienced a very ſevere ſtorm, accompanied with acute burſts of thunder and lightening, part of which fell upon Mr. William Cook's houſe, tore off a great many of the ſhingles, ſplit two rafters, and by communicating to three different apartments, did conſiderable damage—We are happy to ſtate the providential eſcape of two young men, who were lying contiguous to the place where the lightening ſtruck.

Perkins' Metallic Points or Tractors.

A few ſetts may be had by applying to the Printer hereof.

Peterſburg, April 3, 1797.

Peterſburg, March 24, 1797.

THE ſubſcriber begs leave to inform his friends in particular and the public in general, that he ſtill continues to carry on the

Coach-making Buſineſs,

at the upper end of High-ſtreet, oppoſite Dr. Gilliam's, where he has for ſale an elegant open-quarter CHARIOT, a ſecond hand cloſe-quarter do. a new double TOP CHAIR, and ſeveral KITTEREAN CHAIRS—which he will diſpoſe of, on reaſonable terms, for caſh or country produce.

JAMES BROWN.

N. B. I will ſell or exchange my HOUSE and LOT, where I now reſide, for a Lot lower down town. 6

PETERSBURG, *April 7.*

By the arrival of the ſhip Montezuma, at Baltimore, from London, accounts have been received to the 6th February, and in the Baltimore paper of the firſt inſtant, letters from Gen. Buonaparte and Berthie are publiſhed, containing accounts of a brilliant ſeries of victories gained by the French over the Auſtrians in five ſeperate engagements, from the 12th to the 26th January, in which the French has deſtroyed the fifth Auſtrian army in Italy—having taken twenty-three thouſand priſoners, among whom were three general officers, five colonels, ten majors, and a great number of inferior officers; killed and wounded ſix thouſand; taken ſixty pieces of cannon, about twenty-four ſtand of colours, and the whole of the eſcort of grain and other proviſions, deſtined for the relief of Mantua.—The remains of the Auſtrian army were flying in ſtraggling parties, after having loſt or thrown away their arms—and Mantua, it was ſuppoſed, deprived of all hopes of ſuccour, muſt capitulate with the victorious Buonaparte.

Nothing is mentioned by this arrival of Mr. Pinckney, our Miniſter at Paris.

[D E A T H]

Departed this life on Tueſday laſt, Mr. JOSEPH LENOX, of this town.

A LIST of 23 Hhds. of Tobacco which has remained in Blandford Warehouſe more than two years.

No.	Tare.	Nett.	Owners names.	When paſſed.
361	124	1122	William Jones,	April 12 '82.
362	125	1238	Ditto,	Ditto.
1537	139	1148	Henry Haley,	Mar. 28 '83.
58	164	1133	Ged. H Macon,	Oct. 16 '84.
59	118	1091	William Green,	Ditto.
2844	124	1108	Richard Wade,	Aug 2 '85.
499	143	1488	Zachariah Davis,	Nov. 28 Do.
500	144	1456	Ditto,	Ditto.
1038	116	1269	William Hill,	Dec. 21 Do.
1416	139	888	John Burks,	Jan. 18 '86.
1223	102	990	Stephen Lyon,	Dec. 22 Do.
2669	100	1006	Daniel Roberts	Sept 25 '87.
2670	105	1005	Ditto,	Ditto.
204	140	1424	Stephen Cock,	Nov 12 Do.
764	140	1246	Daniel Fielks,	Dec. 5 Do.
1507	105	1113	John Fontaine,	Jan. 1 '88.
1710	120	994	James Williams,	Jan. 20 '89.
2478	127	1111	Frances Jones,	Mar. 29 '91.
2911	100	914	Maj. P. Harſton,	June 10 Do.
2912	76	1000	Ditto,	Ditto.
2955	115	825	Calland & Smith,	July 4 Do.
2166	118	1210	Maj. T. Harriſon,	May 31 '92.
2167	117	1257	Ditto,	Ditto.

If the above Tobacco is not claimed by the proprietors, on or before the firſt of July next, it will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, at Prince George courthouſe, on the ſecond Tueſday of that month, being court day, agreeable to law.

WILLIAMS & STURDIVANT.

April 1, 1797.

A LIST of 12 Hhds. of Tobacco, which has remained in BOYD's Warehouſe, more than two years.

No.	Tare.	Nett.	Owners names.	When paſſed.
1523	135	1070	Abner Adkin,	Jan. 22, '87.
1950	150	1128	Thos. Jackſon,	Mar 2, '87.
653	149	1188	T. G. Peachy,	Nov. 27, '87.
672	133	1183	Capt. E. Ruffin,	Nov. 11, '88.
673	135	1223	ditto,	ditto.
771	141	924	Peter Venſon,	Nov. 14, '88.
1008	142	1048	Capt. E. Ruffin.	Nov. 26, '88.
1007	141	1245	ditto,	ditto.
1860	121	971	John M'Murry,	Mar. 16, '90.
2041	130	955	J. Ferrington,	April 25, '90,
824	145	1130	Francis Ruffin,	Jan. 6, '94.
1145	141	993	Joſhua Harvey,	Mar. 18, '94.

If the above Tobacco is not claimed by the proprietors thereof, on or before the 1ſt day of July next, it will be ſold to the higheſt bidder at Prince-George Courthouſe, on the ſecond Tueſday of that month being Court day, agreeable to Law.

WATTS & FEUQUA.

April 1, 1797.

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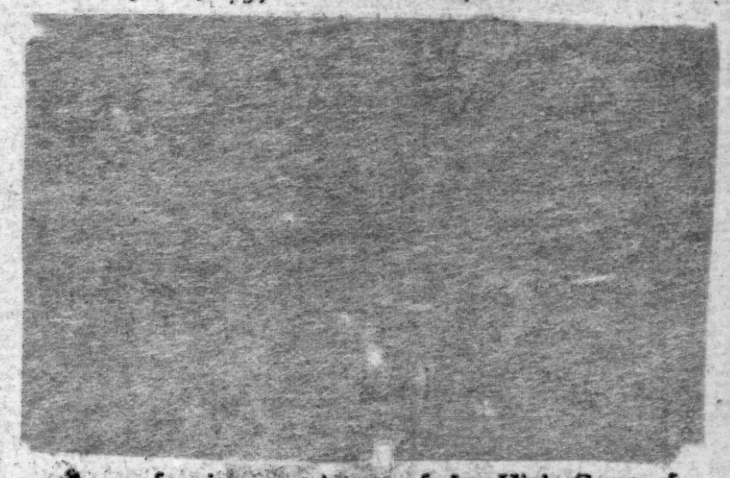
A LIST of 30 Hhds. of Tobacco, which has remained in DAVIS's Warehouſe, more than two years.

No.	Tare.	Nett.	Owners names	When paſſed.
235	89	1111	Alex Draper,	Mar. 10, '82.
709	140	1260	Henry Walthal,	June 22, '82.
1407	126	1450	Moſes Hurt,	June 8, '83.
416	135	1162	Benj. King,	Nov 6, '83.
2643	120	1168	E. N. Harriſon,	July 24, '84.
898	144	1210	Col. W. Allen,	Nov. 2, '84.
1326	135	925	Ditto,	Dec. 18, '84.
1325	134	858	Ditto,	Ditto.
2121	140	1240	B. E Brown,	Mar 25, '85.
2509	141	1281	Nat. Fletcher,	May 12, '85.
572	136	1075	J. Sturdivant,	Nov. 15, '85.
639	156	908	Sam Chalmers,	Nov. 28, '87.
909	131	1073	Joſ. Tucker,	Dec. 5, '87.
2286	109	1151	Gilburt Hunt,	May 6, '88.
32	120	1090	Transfer,	July 1, '88
1596	120	950	Benj. Crawley,	Jan 9, '89.
310	115	1255	Col P. Eppes,	Dec. 5, '89.
1366	150	1148	E. J Cock,	Dec. 23, '90.
2181	105	1207	Robert Jones,	Mar. 17, '91.
2323	131	1019	Francis Jones,	Mar. 28, Do.
2501	131	1325	Maj E. Jordan,	April 13, Do.
2502	130	1305	Ditto,	Ditto.
2600	123	1207	Wm. Brown,	April 23, Do.
2812	125	1002	James Hill,	May 23, Do.
2951	142	1273	E. Jones, jun.	Aug. 8, Do.
1215	120	1168	Richard Jones,	Feb. 6, '92.
1720	115	984	Mat. Moore,	Mar 30, Do.
1721	118	834	Ditto,	Ditto
2371	135	965	Col. P. Eppes,	Sept 12, Do.
1251	168	1078	Col. W. Allen,	April 20, '93.

If the above Tobacco is not claimed by the proprietors on or before the firſt of July next, it will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, at Prince George Courthouſe, on the ſecond Tueſday of that month, being Court day, agreeable to law.

STURDIVANT & MARKS.

April 1, 1797.



In conformity to a decree of the High Court of Chancery, paſſed in March 1796, will be ſold for ready money, at Public Auction, the LAND and SLAVES herein after mentioned, or ſo much thereof as may be ſufficient to pay certain debts due to David Roſs, by John Verell, as directed by the ſaid decree, on Friday the 26th day of May next, at the houſe of Mr. James Durel, in the Town of Peterſburg;

A VALUABLE Plantation whereon he now lives, commonly called STERLING CASTLE, containing 800 acres more or leſs. This plantation is in excellent order for cropping, and well improved with very valuable and commodious dwellings, and good orchards.—It is within eight miles of Peterſburg, and is a very deſirable ſituation for a genteel family —At the ſame time and place will alſo be ſold, a number of ſlaves, conſiſting of MEN, WOMEN, and CHILDREN.

JOHN NICHOLAS,
THOMAS VAUGHAN,
WILLIAM VENNERSON, } Truſtees.

April 5, 1797.

TO BE RENTED,

TWO finiſhed ROOMS, near the centre of the Town, well ſituated, and calculated for a ſingle Gentleman. Enquire of the Printer.

April 5, 1797. (3p.)

MASK,

A BEAUTIFUL BLACK,

Curiously marked, now four years old, full fifteen hands and one inch high,

WILL STAND the enſuing SEASON, at my ſtable in the out end of Prince-George county, on the main road leading from Peterſburg and Prince George Courthouſe to Freeman's Bridge, and will cover Mares at the price of *Two Guineas* the Seaſon, or *Five Dollars* the leap, the leap money to be paid at the ſtable door.—Good and extenſive paſturage gratis, but I will not be anſwerable for eſcapes or accidents, but all imaginable care ſhall be taken, by

JAMES GRANTHAM.

April 6, 1797.

MASK,

Was got by the noted imported horſe Old Shark, his dam by the noted imported horſe Lath, his grandam by Young Jolly, out of a Janus Mare, his great grandam by Monkey, &c. &c. (eo3*)

The Subſcriber will ſell at Public Auction,

On Saturday the 15th day of the preſent month, at the Houſe of Mr. Robert Armiſtead;

THAT Valuable LOT of LAND, with all its improvements, ſituate on High-ſtreet, in the Town of Peterſburg, and at preſent occupied by Mr. Chriſtopher Jones, Coachmaker.

Nothing but the extremeſt ſolicitude to diſcharge immediately the debts contracted by the late copartnerſhip, under the firm of Quarrier and Roſs, could now induce the ſubſcriber to diſpoſe of property ſo valuable at this day; and which, from its ſituation, will in all probability ſo rapidly appreciate. Debts due from the late concern of Quarrier and Roſs, may be diſcounted by the purchaſer, on giving bond with approved ſecurity to the ſubſcriber, for the balance of the purchaſe money.

ALEXANDER QUARRIER.

Richmond, April 1, 1797.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT a Petition will be preſented to the next General Aſſembly, to lay off a Town at Hicks's Ford, on the North ſide of Meherrin River, on the land of the Subſcriber.

BELFIELD STARKE.

April 6, 1797. (tAug.)

TO BE RENTED,

At the Town Courthouſe, on the firſt Monday in next month, being Court day, for a term of years;

THE LUMBER-HOUSE adjoining Bromley's Tavern; two TENEMENTS nearly oppoſite; a vacant Piece of Ground adjoining the Tenements, and five LOTS in Gillfield—all the property of the children of Michael Burke, deceaſed. Further particulars will be made known on the day.

C. C. DE KLAUMAN, Guardian.

Peterſburg, April 6, 1797.

TAKEN UP,

BY the ſubſcriber, in the upper end of this county, a ſtray HORSE, Bay colour, ſeven years old, and fourteen hands high, left hind foot white, hanging mane and ſwitch tail, ſhod before, and ſeveral white ſpots on his back.—Poſted and appraiſed to fifteen pounds. (eo3)

Dinwiddie, March 25, 1797. J. MUIR.

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LIST of LETTERS,

Remaining in the POST OFFICE, PETERSBURG, *1ſt April*, 1797.

A

THOMAS ANDERSON, 2; Edwin Archer.

B

Graham Bell. Benjamin Boiſſeau, jun. Dinwiddie county. Jeſſe Bonner, Dinwiddie county. John Bonner, jun. Joſeph Butler. Col. Vivion Brooking, Amelia. Mrs. Bird.

C.

Thomas Chapmar. Theodric Chamblis, Suſſex county Lenard Claiborne, Lunenburg county. William Clayton. Jacob Carter. Henry Carleton. Clerk of Dinwiddie county.

D.

Robert Donald. John Dandridge, Prince George. Elipz Douglas. Rawleigh P. Downman, 2, Dinwiddie county.

F,

A. Fitzgerald, Comedian. Ephraim Fraizen, care of Henry Nolner. Simon Frazer. Thomas Fenner.

G.

John William Greinel, 2, care of Robert Moore. Thomas L. Griffin. W. B. Giles. Peter Garland, care of John Bell. Iſaac Green. John Gatewood, Lunenburg county. John Gooding, Lunenburg county. Edward Graver, care of Capt. Samuel Jones, City-Point.

H.

Mrs. E. Haſkins, 2. Mrs. Suſan Heyward. John Hood. William Harper, Dinwiddie county. Micazah Hines, Suſſex county. James Hughes, Brewer's Tavern. Miſs Polly Harriſon, care of Capt. Bentford.

I.

Henry Izard. Philip W. Jackſon, Lunenburg county, care of David and Robert Maitland.

L

Worſhipful Maſter of Lodge No. 23. Ditto Ditto Ditto No. 15. Billy Lucas. Atkins Lombard. Iſaac Lowe.

M.

Male Malone, Suſſex county. George Macintoſh. Samuel Matthews. Doctor C. Manlove. Doctor Z. Martin, Dinwiddie county. John Macfarquhar. Thomas Moon, care of Henry Shutt. Everhard Meade, Amelia county. David Meade, jun. care of Carter B. Harriſon, Maycox. George M'Farlane.

N.

Buckner Nicholſon, Dinwiddie county. John Nunnery, care of D. Manley. Mr. Necolſon.

O.

Henry Oakwood. Peter B. Oram. Profeſſor James Ogilvie.

P.

Thomas Poythreſs, jun. Brunſwick county. Thomas Perkins, Brunſwick county. Col Peachy. Miſs Mary Pace, Prince George county. Samuel Peebles, Prince George county.

Q.

Noel Queſnel.

R.

Mr. Roſs, Coachmaker. Miſs Nancy Randolph. Littleton Raines, Dinwiddie county.

S

Miſs Lucy Spurlock, at Mr. Greens. John Stevenſon, Lunenburg county. James Selby. Capt. James Smith. Sheriff of Dinwiddie county. Wm. Stevenſon. Francis Smith, Prince George county. Robert Stewart, 2, care of Baird and Weſiger. John Stewart, jun. Richard Stuart. John Stout, Lunenburg county.

T.

William Towns, Cut Banks. James Towns, Amelia county. Samuel Turner.

V.

Cradock Vaughan, Lunenburg county. John Vinyard.

W.

Collin C. Wills, care of James Lynch. Mr. Warmot. Mr. Winot, Perfumer. Booker Woodſon, Northampton county, care of Daniel Dodſon. Rev. Salatheel Weeks, care of Joſeph Harding.

Z.

George Zollicoffer, Halifax county, North-Carolina, care of Joſeph Harding and Co.

J. GRAMMER.

From the American Daily Advertiſer.

A ſhort Eſſay on the improvement of worn out Lands.

One way of encouraging Agriculture, is to point out the way to improve worn out lands; which may be done by ſeeding all ſuch lands with Clover, which have become too poor to produce grain. I have been in the habit of cultivating Clover more than 40 years, and lately planted 14 acres of a worn-out piece of land, which produced about five buſhels of Corn to the acre. It was then ſown with Oats and Clover; the Oats produced but a common crop for ſuch land, the Clover in the following year was good beyond expectation, and of which I made 10l. an acre. This year I received as large a crop from the adjoining land.

From theſe experiments, I conclude, that every acre of land left out unſown with Clover, muſt looſe from 1l 10s. to 10l. from what it would yield if ſown with Clover.

There are two ſorts of Red Clover; one ſort I call the Native American, the other Engliſh Red Clover. The Native Red Clover will grow double the length of the Engliſh, but it is later in the bloom by about a month, and the ſeeds are ſo much alike that no man can diſtinguiſh one from the other.

Some may ſay, How ſhall we be ſure to get the right ſort to make a trial? All the anſwer I ſhall give to this is, there is now at Mr. Howard's, No. 95, Market ſtreet, a ſmall quantity of my raiſing, to be diſpoſed of.—I have 140 acres of worn-out land lately ſown with Clover, 5 acres of which are of the native kind; but I intend to ſow 70 acres more of it this ſpring—Clover ſhould always be ſown with Oats or Barley.

JOHN LAMBERT.

Salem county, New-Jerſey, March 1.

MADEIRA WINE.

N. & J. EUSTIS,

HAVE juſt received a parcel of very excellent London Market WINE, in hogſheads and quarter caſks.

April 3, 1797.

Agreeably to a Decree of Cheſterfield county Court, will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, on the premiſes, on Saturday the 15th inſtant (April) for ready money,

A TRACT of Land in the ſaid county of Cheſterfield, near Exeter Mills, and about half a mile from Appomattox river, containing about 150 acres, on which Herbert Stowe at preſent reſides. This Land is ſold to ſatisfy a debt due Archer Trayler, jun. and the coſts of ſuit, and expences of ſale.

THOMAS GOODE.
THOMAS BURFOOT.
ARMISTEAD DAVES.
JOHN HILL.

April 3, 1797. 3*

TO BE SOLD,

To the higheſt bidder, for Ready Money, on Tueſday 11th inſt. on the Tenement of Benjamin Smith, whereon James Juhan lately lived, in Old-Street,

SUNDRY Muſical Inſtruments, among which is a Grand Forti-Piano and Spinnet, Muſic Books, and Strings of all ſorts, a number of French and Engliſh Books; a ſmall aſſortment of Medicines; Deſk and Book Caſe, a Cart and double Chair with Harneſs, two good Horſes, and ſundry articles of Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture.

WILLIAM ELLIS.

Peterſburg, April 1, 1797.

Blank Bonds for ſale

At this Office.

10 miles from St. Tam[illegible] will be let to mares at Ten Dollars the ſeaſon, five dollars the ſingle leap, and one and ſixpence to the groom; mares may be enſured for twenty dollars.—the ſeaſon will commence the firſt of March, and end the 10th of Auguſt.

PRESIDENT is a beautiful dapple grey, riſing nine years old, upwards of fifteen and a half hands high, and for elegance and proportion, inferior to no horſe on the continent. Good and extenſive paſturage well enclоſed gratis, and particular attention will be paid the mares, but will not be anſwerable for accidents or eſcapes; gentlemen may have their mares fed on the moſt moderate terms, and the boys ſent with them entertained gratis.

PRESIDENT was got by the imported horſe Clockfaſt, out of Old Poll; this mare was got by Old Fearnaught, her dam by Old Partner, her grandam by Old Jolly Roger, out of the noted imported mare Mary Gray; Poll's dam brought the noted running mare Betſy Baker, Poll alſo brought Young Flimnap, ſo noted for his performances any diſtance. Preſident is remarkable for getting large elegant well formed colts, and his performances on the turf has always been ſucceſsful having taken a purſe at Newbern, and diſtancing ſeveral fine horſes; alſo at Hicks's Ford, after covering a full ſeaſon, and it is the opinion of all the beſt judges who ſee him perform, that he is equal to any horſe on the continent, for either ſpeed or bottom.

ALLEN LOVE.

Brunſwick, February 20, 1797.

THE NOTED HORSE

OLD WILDAIR,

WILL Stand the enſuing Seaſon, at my Stable on James River, in Surry county, and will be let to Mares at FOUR GUINEAS the Seaſon, on note of hand, (to be ſent with the Mare) payable on demand, but which may be diſchared at any time before the 1ſt day of Nov. next, by payment of THREE GUINEAS.

The blood of OLD WILDAIR is ſo generally known, that it is deemed unneceſſary to mention it here. It will be ſufficient to obſerve, that he is from the beſt ſtock, both on the ſide of the ſire and dam, that was ever on the Continent: And I am fully perſuaded myſelf, that his Colts have performed on the turf with as much, if not more ſucceſs, than thoſe of any other Horſe in this country.

As I flatter myſelf that the order of the old Horſe will be very far ſuperior to what it has been for ſeveral years paſt, the probability of the mares proving with foal will conſequently be the greater, and if poſſible, his Colts will be better than they have been latterly.—Good and extenſive paſturage (in which there are twenty acres of meadow ground) will be found for the Mares, gratis, and the ſtricteſt attention ſhall be paid to avoid accidents or eſcapes, but I will not be reſponſible for either.

Thoſe perſons who ſhall wiſh to have their Mares fed with corn and fodder, during their continuance with the Horſe, ſhall be ſupplied with thoſe articles on as moderate terms as I can poſſibly afford.

James A. Bradby.

N. B. The Groom will expect to receive 1/6 for each Mare put to the Horſe. J. A. B.

Cedar-Fields, March 10, 1797. tf.

BLANK BILLS OF LADING, FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

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PETERSI

BRUSSELS, January 9

If we are to believe the account from officers, we are yet in hopes of keeping even if we were obliged to abandon it, of our troops and of our artillery is safe, ing it, will only run the risk of loosing a of cannon.

The left wing of the army of the Meuse, which is commanded by the gene sion, Ligneville, has taken its cantoon part, because the *verbal arrangement* Neuwied, between the French and Austr does not extend as far as the Hundsruck, skirmishes often take place between th on the borders of the Sceltz. The F have concentrated a large body of ir this river and the Hundsruck. The are the cause that the cavalry, whi gone into winter quarters, on the bo Selle, will remain in the environs Stromberg and Binkenfield, unles fuspention of arms, which is not li conjuncture.

Befides, the same letters from of Bonne, which give us these de neral Bournonville, has just an executive directory had appointed commander of all the armies on Strasburgh as far as Dusseldorf. which he is about returning to North, at the head of which he the beginning of next campaign

The arrangement which plac mand of the army of the Sambr Moreau, has not passed unblam most enlightened military chara ever great the talents and genit burden of the command exceed Expetience will demonstrate, w well or ill founded

We expect here, several h are to take up their winter qu hood of this place They wi pally in the villages, which h to revolt.

Letters from the banks of that Kleber and Barnadotte, and two of the best officers of appear determined to quit the cited permission to retire.

If letters from the head qu on, though we cannot vouc these generals have taken thi discontent received at the no reau to the command of the Meuse; they trusted that th would have entitled them to either one or the other would stead of general Bournonville

Preparations are making b siege of Gibraltar. The co boats to be constructed for th

January

The official paper, Journ Patrie, of the 16th, contains rations of the siege of Kehl.

On the 5th Nivose (Decem was again broken by the play batteaux were likewise so mu impossible to re-establish th Kehl became from this perio being but one communication

On the 6th (December 26) completed, the enemy work armament; they prepared for distance of 150 toises, so g spection.

The following days were em incessant sallies to retard th

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NOTICE.

THOSE who may be [illegible] to the late concern of Duncan, Campbell and Company, for dealings at their store in Petersburgh, under the management of David Ruffell; in Brunswick, of Robert Turnbull; in Bonsbrick, of Thomas Crawford; in Mecklenburg, of William Turnbull; and in Charlotte, of Robert Barron and William Duncan; and their store in Warren county, North Carolina, under William Duncan and William Cole; are desired to take notice, that in consequence of a decree of the Honorable the High Court of Chancery, the subscribers are now in possession of the books, bonds, and other specialties, belonging to the different houses in that concern, and are exclusively authorized to collect the same.

The respective debtors are requested to make immediate payment to us, or either of us, and are prohibited from making payment on account of such debts to any other person, even although they alledge the pretence of such debts, by giving new bonds or other specialties in name of Robert Turnbull, or Robert Turnbull and Charles Duncan; or although any of the bonds may be assigned to any other person. In either of these cases, the debtors will please observe, that by the above-mentioned decree, they are only safe in paying such debts to the subscribers, or to those they may hereafter appoint collectors. As to Capt. Thomas Vaughan, of Mecklenburg, who they continue collector of the debts due the late in Charlotte; and as those debts have been so long due, and as the above concern has been unavoidably the cause of granting indulgence, we hope the debtors will immediately come forward and make the best payments in their power, and grant new specialties for [illegible] part as they are at this time unable to pay, to which [illegible] a reasonable time will still be given, otherwise no longer can be expected. And the several lawyers, [illegible] and other collectors in Virginia and North-Carolina, who may be in possession of money, bonds, and other papers belonging to said company, (although in name of Robert Turnbull) are required to consider themselves as accountable to us only for the papers and their collections.

CHARLES DUNCAN,
COLIN CAMPBELL.

Petersburg, March 1st, 1797.

NOTICE.

THOSE indebted to Duncan and Turnbull, for dealings at their late [illegible] in Petersburg, under the management of William Cole, will please take notice, that in consequence of a decree of the Honorable the High Court of Chancery, the bonds, &c. of that concern, are now in the possession of the subscribers, who are exclusively authorized to collect the said debts.

The respective debtors are requested to make immediate payment to us, or either of us, and are prohibited from making payment to any other person, although [illegible] any of the bonds may have been made to any other person; and as [illegible] given, the debtors are [illegible] to call on us and adjust their accounts, and where it appears they are unable to pay the whole, a convenient time will still be allowed for part. Both these requests are friendly admonitions, and expect to be preferred without respect of persons. And the several lawyers, factors, or other collectors, who may be in possession of any money, papers, &c. belonging to the concern, are only accountable to us, and are required to communicate the same to

CHARLES DUNCAN,
COLIN CAMPBELL.

Petersburg, March 1st, 1797.

☞ Subscribers who [illegible] are indebted to the Printer herself, for more than one year's Newspapers, will oblige [illegible] by discharging their accounts.

C L I P S E,

ſtand the enſuing ſea-
the ſubſcriber's plantation in Prince
, and will be let to Mares at Forty
aſon. Paſturage gratis, but the ſub-
t be anſwerable for accidents or eſ-

is a very fine Cheſnut Sorrel, five feet
high, well marked, and of elegant
was got by Obſcurity; his dam by A-
ndam by Old Valiant, and his great
ryall.
'97. WILLIAM COLE.

NOTED HORSE

I A T H A N,

A FINE BAY, full
ſixteen and one quarter
hands high, well formed, and 7
ears old this ſpring, ſtands the
nſuing ſeaſon at my ſtable at
Nottoway Courthouſe, and will
EIGHT DOLLARS the ſeaſon,
h Dec. next enſuing, FOUR
ap, to be paid down, with 1/6
ach mare put to the horſe.

I A T H A N,

Partner, his dam by Old Celer,
ly Rock, his great grandam by
eat grandam by the Iriſh horſe;
were imported at different times
ſylvania, and were eſteemed
ſtate (not only for their ex-
ſo for their perfo mances on
bin commenced, and will ex-
f Auguſt next.—The greateſt
he mares to prevent accidents
or any that may happen.
r ſeveral ſeaſons has eſtabliſh-
is ſure foal getting.
TERLING LEWIS.
March 13, 1797. (2m.)

IMPORTED HORSE

-D E V I L,

igh, beautifully FORMED
MARKED,

ANDS the enſuing
SEASON, at my ſtable in Din-
county, and will be let to
at SIX GUINEAS
ſon, which may be diſcharged
IVE GUINEAS on
of October next, Two Gui-
p to be paid down, and Ten
ares being with foal, with a
for a mare put to the horſe.
by inſurance and part with
time of foaling, to be anſwe-

E-DEVIL,

rejudiced perſons to be at leaſt
w on the continent, or ever
of his PEDIGREE, I preſume
it therefore to ſay he was got by
be by Chriſolite, out of Proſe-
O'Kelly's Eclipſe, for which
rs, as alſo thoſe of, 90, 91, 92.
rmances in thoſe years, having
aces, and proved ſucceſsfull in
ſides a number of hard runs, as
der that gentlemen of the Turf
unity of having early colts, the
gee on the 15th day of February,
Extenſive paſturage, gratis, but
or accidents of any kind.
LLIAM STARK, Jun.
97. (ep tf.)

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Town of Petersburg:

March Quarterly Court, 1797.

DANIEL DODSON, Complainant, against THOMAS FRASER and WILLIAM FRASER, Defendants, } In Chancery.

THE Complainant having filed Bill, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant Thomas Fraser is not an inhabitant of this Commonwealth—therefore on the motion of the Complainant by his Counsel, IT IS DECREED AND ORDERED, that unless the said Defendant Thomas Fraser, shall enter his appearance and give security (for the performance of the decree to be made in this cause) upon the second day of the next Quarterly Court to be held for the said Town on the first Monday in May next, that the Complainant's Bill shall be taken as confessed and the prayer thereof granted—and that a copy of this decree be published in the Petersburg Gazette for two months successively, and also posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this Town.

A Copy—Attest

JOHN GRAMMER, C. T. P.

Negroes and *Land* for sale.

I HAVE four young Female NEGROES, that have been accustomed to house-work, for sale. Terms Cash, or such a Credit as may be agreed on.

Also several TRACTS of LAND in the counties of Dinwiddie, Surry, and Mecklenburg, which I wish to dispose of on reasonable terms.

DUNCAN ROSE.

Petersburg, March 1, 1797.

The Noted Thorough-Bred Horse

M E L Z A R,

BRED by Col. John Hoskins, of King & Queen, county, now in high perfection, will stand at my stable in Brunswick county, four miles above the courthouse; will cover Mares the ensuing season at the moderate price of FIVE GUINEAS the season; but may be discharged by the payment of Sixteen Dollars by the first day of January next, EIGHT DOLLARS (cash) the leap, or THIRTY TWO DOLLARS to ensure a Mare with Foal, and one half dollar to the Groom. The season will commence on the first day of March, and will expire on the tenth day of August. Good and extensive pasturage, well enclosed, gratis, and the greatest care taken of Mares, but will not be answerable for accidents or escapes. Mares will be fed if required, and Boys sent with the Mares will be found their board gratis.

MELZAR will be six years old next April; he is a fine bay, well marked, full sixteen hands high; his form and points will stand the test of the most critical observer. MELZAR was got by the imported Horse Old Medley, his dam by Old Wildair, his grandam by the imported Horse Vampeer, out of Col. Braxton's imported Mare Kitty Fisher; Vampeer was got by Regulus, his dam by Steady, his grandam by Partner, his great grandam by Greyhound, and bred by Mr. Crofts of Barforth.

BURWELL WILKES.

Brunswick, February 6, 1797. 4m

Andrew Parks,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Public, that he has just received, and is now opening at his STORE, in the house formerly occupied by Mr. JAMES BAIRD, in Old Street,

A LARGE and GENERAL ASSORTMENT of

SPRING GOODS,

Which he will dispose of at the most reasonable and reduced prices for Cash or produce.

Petersburg, March 19, 1797. tf

N O T I C E.

THOSE who may be indebted to the late concern of Dinwiddie, Crawford and Company, for dealings at their store in Blandford; under the management of David Russell; in Dinwiddie, of Robert Turnbull; in Brunswick, of Thomas Crawford; in Mecklenburg, of William Turnbull; and in Charlotte, of Robert Burton and William Duncan; and their store in Warren county, North Carolina, under William Duncan and William Cole; are desired to take notice, that in consequence of a decree of the Honorable the High Court of Chancery, the subscribers are now in possession of the books, bonds, and other specialties, belonging to the different stores in that concern, and are exclusively authorised to collect the debts.

The respective debtors are requested to make immediate payment to us, or either of us, and are prohibited from making payment on account of such debts to any other person, even although they altered the nature of such debts, by giving new bonds or other specialties in name of Robert Turnbull, or Robert Turnbull and Charles Duncan; or although any of the bonds may be assigned to any other person. In either of these cases, the debtors will please observe, that by the abovementioned decree, they are only safe in paying such debts to the subscribers, or to those they may hereafter appoint collectors, or to Capt. Thomas Vaughan, of Mecklenburg who they continue collector of the debts due the store in Charlotte; and as those debts have been so long due, and as the above concern has been remarkable for granting indulgence, we hope the debtors will immediately come forward and make the best payments in their power, and grant new specialties for such part as they are at this time unable to pay, in which case a reasonable time will still be given, otherways no longer can be expected. And the several lawyers, sheriffs, and other collectors in Virginia and North-Carolina, who may be in possession of money, bonds, and other papers belonging to said company, (although in name of Robert Turnbull) are solicited to consider themselves as accountable to us only for the papers and their collections.

CHARLES DUNCAN,
COLIN CAMPBEL.

Petersburg, March 22, 1797.

N O T I C E.

THOSE indebted to Duncan and Turnbull, for dealings at their late store in Petersburg, under the management of William Cole, will please take notice, that in consequence of a decree of the Honorable the High Court of Chancery, the books, bonds, &c. of that concern, are now in the possession of the subscribers, who are exclusively authorised to collect the said debts.

The respective debtors are requested to make immediate payment to us, or either of us, and prohibited from making payment to any other person, although an assignment of any of the bonds may have been made to any other person; and as long indulgence has been given, the debtors are solicited without delay, to call on us and adjust their accounts; and when it appears they are unable to pay the whole, a moderate time will still be allowed for part. But those that neglect this friendly admonition, may expect to be prosecuted without respect of persons.—And the several lawyers, sheriffs, or other collectors, who may be in possession of any money, papers, &c. belonging to the concern, are only accountable to us, and are requested to communicate the same to

CHARLES DUNCAN,
COLIN CAMPBEL.

Petersburg, March 22, 1797.

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ROEBUCK,

STANDS the enſuing ſeaſon at my Whitehall plantation, to be let to Mares at Four Pounds currency the ſeaſon, Forty Shillings the leap, or Eight Pounds to enſure; 2/6 to the groom, to be paid at the time of putting the mare. One perſon ſending five mares, or becoming reſponſible for the payment of four, will have the fifth given in.

ROEBUCK is upwards of 15 hands high, and free from blemiſh. He was got by the old imported horſe Sweeper, ſon of Mr. Beaver's Great Driver, whoſe blood and character for getting foals for common uſe or the turf, is held in as high eſtimation a any horſe of his day.

ROEBUCK's dam was got by the old imported horſe Bajazet, ſon of the Earl of March's Old Bajazet, ſon of the Earl of Godolphin's Arabian. Bajazet's dam was got by the Whitefoot, his grandam by Leeds, out of a natural Barb mare of her Majeſty Queen Ann. Roebuck's grandam was a mare of high blood, purchaſed when about two years of age, from the Hampton Court Stud of George II. by Mr. Spann of Briſtol, for the late Judge Moore, who imported her. Good, extenſive, and ſecure paſturage gratis and every care taken of mares, but no liability for accidents.

J. B. ASHE.

Whitehall, March 13.

ROEBUCK has been run ten or a dozen times by Col Dekeyſer, of Fayette, for purſes of conſiderable value, two, three and four mile heats, all of which he won with eaſe, beating at each time, ſeveral horſes, whoſe fame before ſtood unrivalled on the turf; he has run at other times, and never was beaten; except at New Market, Peterſburg, in the fall of 1794; though not then diſtanced, as erroneouſly repreſented in a printed fame of Bell-Air. The Thurſday before which he run at Halifax three mile heats; on his journey to Peterſburg, was hurried one day through a heavy ſnow, and another of rain; arrived at New-Market the day only before the race; was never known by his groom to lay down one hour from the time of his leaving his own ſtables, until he returned to them. An appeal may be ſafely made to the impartiality of a very numerous collection of ſpectators, for the diſgrace of Roebuck, or the merits of Bell-Air, on this occaſion, whether the former ever neceſſarily received either whip or ſpur, until he met with the accident alluded to in the certificate below, and whether there was ever one moment's ceſſation of hoſtilities on the part of both whip and ſpur toward Bell Air, during the 8 miles that Roebuck oppoſed him.

New Market, October 31, 1794.

Four mile heats—aged horſes to carry 130lb.

FIRST HEAT.

1ſt Mile,	2 Minutes	2 Seconds.
2d Do.	2 Do.	5 Do.
3d Do.	2 Do.	10 Do.
4th Do.	2 Do.	4 Do.
Won by Roebuck	8 Minutes.	21 Seconds.

SECOND HEAT.

1ſt. Mile,	1 Minute	58 Seconds
2d Do.	2 Do.	1 Do.
3d Do.	2 Do.	3 Do.
4th Do.	2 Do.	12 Do.
Won by Bell-Air.—	8 Minutes	14 Seconds.

THIRD HEAT won by Bell Air, 8 minutes, 39 ſeconds.

Bell-Air beat Roebuck but two or three feet the ſecond heat; his (Roebuck) rider having loſt his ſtirrup, when about twenty feet at leaſt before, was obliged to hold up to regain it, and being paſſed by Bell Air was obliged to ruſh it on the outſide, and loſt the heat clearly from theſe circumſtances.

Roebuck's rider was ſuppoſed to have loſt his ſtirrup by his horſe having run on a ſmall ſtump, or piece of timber, which it is ſaid (for I did not ſee it) had injured one of his feet. He was drawn the 3d heat.

EDMUND RUFFIN.

Captain Richard Bland, in his ſtatement ſays, he was of opinion that Roebuck would have won the race, had he not have met with the accident mentioned above.

March 21. co 8.

C. MASSENBURG,

RETURNS thanks to the public in general and his friends in particular, for paſt favours. Being anxious of ſettling his accounts up to the laſt year, earneſtly requeſts all thoſe who are indebted to him by bond or open account to call and make payment—Thoſe concerned will ſee the neceſſity of this meaſure, as the buſineſs in future will be conducted under the firm of

Maſſenburg & Maſſenburg,

at GALEN's HEAD,

Croſs Street,

Where they have for ſale a general aſſortment of genuine MEDICINES, that are warranted.

Alſo Nutmegs, Cinnamon, Cloves, Mace, Spaniſh Arnotto, Aqua Fortis, Oil of Vitriol, Oil Olives, &c. &c.—and a quantity of the beſt RED and PALE BARK, that will be ſold low by the 100 weight.

Peterſburg, January 18, 1797.

Peterſburg, Nov. 1, 1796.

THE ſubſcriber informs his friends and the public, that his buſineſs will be carried on in future under the firm of

John and William Bell.

He therefore requeſts, that all thoſe who are indebted to him will come forward to adjuſt and ſettle their reſpective accounts, as this new arrangement will put it entirely out of his power to grant any longer indulgence to thoſe who owe him balances above ſix months. JOHN BELL.

JOHN & WILLIAM BELL,

HAVE juſt received an additional ſupply of the following

Fancy Goods and Groceries,

from the Northward Markets.—Alſo a large and general aſſortment of Hardware, Woollens, and other ſeaſonable Goods, from Liverpool—Which they offer for ſale, on the uſual terms, at their ſtore in Bollingbrook ſtreet.

Superfine Cloths, Caſſimeres and Swandowns.	Glaſs and Queens ware aſſorted.
Fancy Plumes, Feathers, Beads, Necklaces, and Ear-bobs.	Freſh Teas.
Playing Cards, Blank Books, Dutch Quills, and other Stationary.	Madeira, Sherry, Liſbon, and Teneriffe Wines—(the Madeira warranted 4 years old.
Sheetings, Cambricks, Long Lawns, and Muſlins.	Bar Iron & Caſtings, Salt,
Ribbons, Lace and Edgings, and a neat aſſortment of Sattins, Luſtrings, and Perſians.	Coffee, Loaf and Brown Sugar,
Table and Tea China, in ſetts.	Rum, French and Apple Brandies.
	Cheeſe, Chocolate.
	Black and Cayenne Pepper, and other Spices, &c. &c. &c.

Peterſburg, Nov. 1, 1796. tf

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A HOUSE-KEEPER, who can produce unexceptionable teſtimonials of her prudence and good character; ſuch a one may have very liberal wages by the month or year, on application to

GEORGE RUFFIN.

N. B. An elderly woman would be preferred.

Prince George, March 28, 1797. 203

To be ſold to the higheſt bidder,

For ready money, at the the houſe of Robert Armiſtead, in the town of Peterſburg, on the 26th day of April inſt. by virtue of a Deed of Truſt executed by Doct. John Story, to ſatisfy a debt due by him to Corbyn, Beaumont, Stacy and Miſſee, of London,

THAT elegant two ſtory BRICK HOUSE and appurtenances, on Water-ſtreet, now in the poſſeſſion of the ſaid Story, and adjoining the Brick Store lately occupied by H. Hunter, dec.

LAIN J. JOHNSON, Truſtee.

April 2, 1797.

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